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With this issue the Daily Bulletin commences its second year. The experiment of publishing a daily paper in a place only as large as Edmonton a year ago was one not to be undertaken without considerable anxiety and preparation, and when undertaken was necessarily dependent on prospects to a very great degree. It has been the good fortune of both town and country to have enjoyed a year of unexampled progress, in which the Bulletin has shared to a moderate and satisfactory degree. Although, like much of the rest of the world, it has not altogether lived up to its ideals, it has still found a place in the great work of building up this north country, which has Edmonton as its commercial capital. It has had some part in that work and hopes to have still more. A daily paper in Edmonton has ceased to be an experiment and has become a necessity. Having become established as one of the institutions of the place, it will be the aim of the Bulletin to live up to the requirements of this most progressive town. Its telegraphic news has always been a feature of the Bulletin—as a semi-weekly and also as a weekly. It recognizes that its telegraphic service is necessarily a leading feature of a daily paper and has taken and is taking measures to ensure the latest news to its readers. It has always been the policy of the Bulletin to save time and space by saying words. The people who are interested in telegraphic news especially have no time to waste. Therefore in its telegraphic service the Bulletin's aim is to give the latest and most reliable news in the shortest space. Instead of paying for news clipped at random, it has engaged special correspondents at important news centres who forward the latest items of interest from day to day. Owing to the special interest now centering in Ottawa, it has engaged a regular correspondent there, so that its readers can depend upon the Bulletin having the latest and most reliable reports from the capital, as well as from other points. There are many difficulties—mechanical, industrial and financial, as well as editorial—in getting out a daily paper. But the great difficulty is the inevitable comparison between the local paper and the great city daily. If the Bulletin is not able to give as much paper for a cent, or such a spread of reading matter as the city dailies, inasmuch as the telegraph out-travels them, it can and does and will give the important news of each day sooner than they can. And from day to day it places the happenings of this important town and district before the world as cannot and will not be done by any paper other than one whose interests are those of the town and district. For the kind consideration which has been accorded the Daily Bulletin in its very many shortcomings during the past year by its large and growing patronage, it desires to express its hearty thanks at the beginning of a new year, and to promise better things for the year now begun.

## NEW YEAR'S RACES

The speeding on the ice opposite D. R. Fraser's mills yesterday attracted a considerable number of people. Many drove down and a large number watched the races from the river bank. The different events were very closely contested and interest ran high. The following is the result of the races.

## Green Race.

Proctoria, owned by D. O. Robertson, first.  
 Lott, Bell, C. Gallagher, second.  
 Miss Elizabeth, third.  
 Three Minute class.  
 Texas Plover, W. West, first.  
 Lady May, Chas. May, second.  
 Tom Sharkey, Armstrong Bros., third.

## Free For All.

Douglas Ferguson, Jack T. Mills, 1st.  
 Lacy M. Geo. Gouin, second.  
 Capt. M. Robert, third.  
 On account of the great success which attended yesterday's meet, the Driveway club intend holding races every two weeks for the balance of the winter.

## MORRIS MEDALS

Edmonton will wear the medals. The Strathcona team was again defeated by Edmonton in the second game for the Morris medals. The score when the game was called stood 4 to 3 in favor of Edmonton. Great crowds witnessed the match. Yesterday was a grand winter's day and large numbers drove over. The E. Y. & P. carried over hundreds of Strathcona turned out in large crowds to cheer their boys on to the victory they so urgently desired. Almost the entire grand stand was occupied by Edmonton supporters of the Edmonton hockey team. Both teams were greeted with loud cheers on taking the ice.

The game started out fast and furious. It was evident that Strathcona was making a great effort to retrieve their defeats in the preceding three games of the season. Edmonton was equally determined to land the medals by winning the first two games of the series. From the draw-off a Strathcona rush was stopped by Bellamy, who passed the puck to Sibbald. Greenwood got it from a mix-up and passed to McDougall, who darted down and slammed the puck into the net, scoring one for Edmonton in less than one minute's play. From the draw-off Wright got the puck and passing, Edmonton rushed. The play continued very fast, and Greenwood, securing the puck, made a magnificent rush and scored the second game for Edmonton in three minutes. Play again commenced, with alternate rushes on both sides. Wright played a brilliant game. He rushed repeatedly, but received very strong checking from two Strathcona men. For the home team, Dobson played a star game. He and Hain made splendid rushes and poured shot after shot on the Edmonton goal. Humeaton, in Edmonton goal, played a magnificent game. He stopped a number of extremely dangerous shots and proved himself worthy to take the position with the best teams of the West. Bellamy secured the puck after about eight minutes play and passing a bunch of opponents, passed to Wright. Sibbald received from a mix-up and after a brilliant rush, hurled the rubber into Strathcona net. The next goal was scored by Strathcona in three minutes. This gave the boys in the red and white renewed vigor and picking themselves up they did some splendid playing which resulted in another game for Strathcona.

Half time was then called with the score three to two in Edmonton's favor. The second half was very swift. Dobson scored for Strathcona in seven minutes. Banford and Bellamy played splendid scientific hockey which delighted all lovers of the game. Sibbald and Wright starred repeatedly to the delight of the Edmonton rooters. Greenwood and McDougall showed very great improvement on the wings. From a pretty piece of combination, Edmonton scored the next game, which left the score 4 to 3 in Edmonton's favor. At this point a dispute arose. A Strathcona player claimed the goal was scored from an off-side. Referee Dr. Strong said that if so he had not seen it. The Strathcona player repeatedly charged the referee with unfairness, for which he was ordered to the fence for three minutes. He refused to go which is contrary to all hockey rules. The referee consulted with the captains and declared that if he played would not take the fence he would have to call the match. The game was then called in favor of Edmonton, score, 4 to 3.

The line up of the teams was:  
 Edmonton Goal. Strathcona  
 Humeaton Point. Robolt  
 Banford Cove Point. May  
 Bellamy Rover. McKernan  
 Sibbald Centre. Blain  
 Wright Left Wing. Richards  
 McDougall Right Wing. Kent  
 Greenwood Right Wing. Dobson  
 Referee. Dr. Strong.

## A BANNER YEAR

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## HAROLD NELSON

Wednesday night the Harold Nelson Company closed a five days' engagement in Edmonton. They played to crowded houses every night and on Christmas night large sales of "standing room only" were made. That the engagement was financially successful every one will be pleased to hear because of the character of the plays presented and the manner in which they were presented.

The stage combines the possibilities of amusement, instruction and elevation of thought to a very high degree. It is this fact which gives it a rightful place in the world. But it is so much easier to amuse than to instruct, and still more so to amuse by degrading than to instruct by elevating, that a lamentable tendency of the stage is to furnish amusement by painting degradation. The excuse always is that the public want that sort of amusement and if the players don't give it they will be patronized. The idea that mean plays are a business necessity actually leads to the belief that neither is good playing really necessary, and as a result the public—not by any means in the West alone—are too frequently treated to poor plays and worse acting, the supposed compensation being more or less startling specialties between acts.

Justifying Mr. Nelson by what the Edmonton public have seen of himself and company during two engagements, he believes himself to be a man with a mission, and that mission is the elevation of the stage. His effort is to give it its rightful place as a refining and elevating instead of a blunting and degrading influence. This is evidenced by his own speech, actions and methods; but still more by the character and ability of the company by which he is surrounded, the plays which he puts on and the manner in which they are put on; and still more by the daring venture of offering to audiences in small Western towns such plays as no company would think of presenting in eastern towns of only equal population. The usual idea is that the play must be a little below the standard of the people in order to pay. Mr. Nelson reverses that idea. He believes that the drama has a legitimate place, a place in which it has good work to do and in which its work it will do well be appreciated. He holds that average people would rather look up than down, and he stakes his reputation and hopes of profit on that idea, by presenting only plays of the highest class in the best manner that high talent, hard work and large financial risk make possible.

One great reason why Mr. Nelson succeeds in what few others would dare to attempt, and still fewer succeed in if they did attempt, is that he loves his work and takes a proper pride in it for its own sake. It is more to him that the play shall be put on with absolute perfection of plot and detail than that the bank balances should applaud, or that there should be certain calls, or even handsome box office receipts. It was because Mr. Nelson and his support had the necessary ability, but more especially because people knew that they got good, conscientious work for their money; the very best that the men and women of the company could do, from start to finish; and because there was no attempt to appeal to other than the higher side of human nature, that every seat in the hall was sold as reserved for every night except the first and then, as already said, there was standing room only. Mr. Nelson played a very successful engagement here last year, but his return engagement just concluded was much more successful. Although such good work was done last year, the work of this year was even better; showing that he is never satisfied, except by continued improvement.

The experiment of playing "Quo Vadis," "Hielich," "The Taming of the Shrew" and "Hamlet" to Western towns of from 600 to 6,000 people is startling, and that it has been successful is a tribute to the judgment of Mr. Nelson as well as to the ability of himself and company, and not less an evidence of the intelligent discrimination and high thinking of Western people.

## SUICIDE AT LACOMBE.

About a year ago a man named David Rhodes arrived in Pleasant Valley, east of Lacombe, from the States. On December 11th last he was missed from his boarding place and a search was instituted. It was not until a few days ago that the Lacombe Globe tells the story as follows:

"On Sunday last a large party started out to search for David L. Rhodes, who had been missing since Dec. 11th and had not since been heard of. His body was discovered by William Thomas on the northeast quarter of 10-40-24. He was lying on his left side with a .25 Stevens rifle lying on his left leg held by the right one. The muzzle of the gun was pointing to his head, and beside it was a stick some twelve or fourteen inches long with a crutch on one end, which is supposed to have

been used in discharging the rifle. In the centre of the forehead the bullet hole was discovered surrounded by a black stain, evidently the effect of the powder. The wound of exit was also discovered at the back of the head. His bank book showed his account at the Merchants Bank of Canada to be square. Among other things in his pocket was found a wallet containing \$14.80, and an envelope in which there was a note written to E. Mitchell, the contents of which were as follows: 'Sell my effects and pay bills. Good-bye.'

"Rhodes came here from the States about a year ago and has lived in Pleasant Valley since. He was about forty-eight or forty-nine years of age and single. Deceased has no known relatives here but is said to have come at Alverton and Everson, Pa. In his evidence, Mr. Morgan, who had known deceased for some fifteen years, said that he had been doctoring for years for some disease, the nature of which he did not know. Deceased was moody, unkind-minded, but gave no signs of insanity.

"The verdict of the jury was 'That David L. Rhodes did die on or about December 11th, 1903, by the discharge of a bullet from a rifle in his own hand, by his own act while temporarily insane. The said insanity due to the effect of chronic disease. The place of death is section 10, township 40, range 24.'"

## HORSE HILLS

The annual meeting of the race-payers of this district will be held on the 27th of Jan. at 10 a.m. in the new school building.

Miss Ellen Wilson is visiting friends at the sturgeon.

Walter Handy, of Fort Saskatchewan was in the district last week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. West, of St. James, Minn., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. Shillito. Mr. West is well pleased with the country and contemplates settling here next spring.

There was a very large gathering at the hall given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Dory, at their residence at Notre Dame, on Christmas night.

Methodist service was held in the schoolhouse on Sunday last. Mr. Scott of Edmonton, officiated. Service will be held every two weeks.

Mr. H. A. Wade, our school master, leaves for Regina this week, where he will attend Normal School. Mr. Wade holds an English certificate and is, therefore, required to receive a Canadian certificate before resuming teaching. Another teacher will take his place until he returns.

Christmas day passed very quietly in this district. The threshing crew of Allan & Reid's threshers held their first annual ball on Christmas night at the residence of Alex Reid, at Walker's Bluff. A large and gay company was present and a very enjoyable time was spent.

The department of public works is distributing a circular announcing a change in the Local Improvement Ordinance. Hereafter a money tax will be imposed instead of the former statute labor duty, of which an incessant grumble was continually being heard. The money collected will be used in improving the roads.

Notwithstanding that the wheat crop in this district was a failure the past season, we should note that it was not so totally. All the wheat grown on Walker's Flat was of excellent quality; particularly that of Mr. Jas. Wilson. Last fall Mr. Wilson sowed a quantity of the Kansas Turkey Red variety, which grew and yielded a fine crop, averaging 55 1/2 lbs. to the bushel, and a sample of it is being sent to the exhibition at the St. Louis world's fair. We sincerely hope that it will take the prize for Alberta.

The most successful concert in the history of this district was held on Saturday evening last in the new school building, which was crowded to the very doors by people from many different parts. The program was exceedingly well rendered by the numerous persons represented. Much praise is due our teacher, Mr. Wade, for the amount of care and energy put forth by him in securing such an excellent program, and the ladies of the Hills upheld their reputation as cooks at the distribution of the good things served at luncheon during the interval. We all trust that these concerts will be held from year to year and with the same amount of success as this one.

December 25th.

## AMERICAN SILVER

It is estimated that the quantity of American silver is now fully fifty per cent of the total amount of silver in circulation in the Edmonton district, and is increasing each year, owing to the influx of settlers from the United States. In view of this, it has been agreed by the different banks in Edmonton, that on and after the 2nd January, 1906, American silver will be subject to a discount of twenty per cent.

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M. ROBERTSON,  
Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Dec. 14, 1905.

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## LOCAL

—The high and public schools will reopen on Monday.

—Gentlemen Unafraid will be the subject of Pastor McDonald's address on Sunday evening at the Baptist church.

—The Canadian Pacific railway survey gang, which has been operating east of Lacombe, has left for Winnipeg, having completed the survey to a point fifty miles east of there.

—The Conservative convention for the Strathcona constituency will be held at Strathcona on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, for the purpose of selecting a candidate.

—The annual public meeting of the Women's Public Hospital Aid Society will be held on Monday afternoon at four o'clock in the town hall. A large attendance is requested.

—The long distance telephone went into operation between Wetaskiwin and Calgary and intervening points on Thursday. It is expected that the line will be completed to Edmonton the first of next week.

—Rev. T. A. Rogers will arrive in Edmonton tonight and will conduct the services in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening. He will also hold special services in the church every evening for two weeks.

—The Edmonton young men's assembly club gave their third dance this winter in the Opera House on Thursday evening last. There was a large attendance and a splendid time was enjoyed by all. Clarke's orchestra furnished the music.

—Lacombe Globe.—We would suggest that the management of the Lacombe hockey team arrange for a visit to Strathcona and Edmonton as soon as the players get into form and the matches can be arranged. It would at least give our players an opportunity of witnessing some fast hockey.

—A dramatic and musical entertainment for the benefit of the new convent will be held on January 10th at Morinville. A band will be in attendance. A vocal and instrumental program will be given and speeches delivered by L. J. A. Lambert, M. L. A.; J. B. Pleard, A. Prince, W. Garvey, Dr. Bliss and Geo. Roy. Lunch will be served at midnight.

—At McDougall Methodist church tomorrow Mr. Huettis will take for his morning subject "In the beginning—What?" and for the evening, "The Evolution of a Thinker." The latter will be the fifth of the monthly addresses to young men and women. A cordial invitation is extended to all who do not worship elsewhere. The seats are free. The usual social half hour will be held at the close of the evening service for the purpose of better acquaintance.

—Calgary Herald.—Final arrangements are being made just now for the coming bospital. The committee report having been very successful in getting contributions in cash and other valuables from both outside business firms, as well as in the city. The prize list this year will be the best on record. The railways have granted single fare to the public generally from all points between Revelstoke and Dunsmuir Junction and Edmonton and Lethbridge. This should bring many outsiders to the city on the 19th of January when the bospital begins.

—The Christmas number of the Manitoba and Northwest Farmer's Advocate and Home Magazine, of Winnipeg, for 1903, is a strikingly attractive issue, and in many respects the strongest one ever published. Among the special contributors are Mr. T. W. Mathers, of Edmonton; Prof. George Bryce, D.D., Winnipeg; Dr. Carson Lee, B.A., Portage la Prairie; J. McCaig, M.A., Lethbridge; Rev. John Semmons, West Selkirk; Mr. Alex. Lambie, Assn.; W. H. Fairfield, M.S., Lethbridge; Russell E. Daunerman, Athabasca Landing, and J. E. Costello, Winnipeg; in addition to a long list of editorial and other articles, both instructive and descriptive. The photographs, including many fine views of leading stock and grain farms, and the colored work of the paper are superb. The Farmer's Advocate, by being published weekly hereafter, will be enabled still further to advance the interests of western agriculture, and we are delighted that its already strong editorial staff, at the head of which is Mr. W. J. Black, B. S. A., will be reinforced by Dr. A. G. Hopkins, B. Agr., D.V.M., who rejoins the paper early in the new year.

## PERSONAL

J. Benton, boiler inspector, left for Regina this morning.

Miss Patricia, of Edmonton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Trimble, Lacombe.

Miss Elsie Bruce, of Macleod, Alta., arrived in Edmonton last week to attend Alberta College, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Shaw returned to Edmonton Thursday evening from spending Christmas in Lacombe.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Saunders and family left on their return to Regina this morning. They will shortly return here when Mr. Saunders will enter into partnership with Mr. Driscoll, D.D.S.

## CHRISTMAS

## ENTERTAINMENT

Over five hundred people enjoyed to the full the fine light views of the Far North given by Mr. O. W. Mathers at the Methodist church last night. Only two views of a local nature were given, the Methodist church and Jasper avenue. The others, about sixty, were from photos taken by Mr. Mathers on his trip to the Arctic regions some three years ago. The views were clear and intensely interesting, and a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Mathers at the close of the program. A number of shadow pictures, principally of the teachers and officers of the school, were exhibited, and an opportunity given the children to guess who they were. This feature of the program seemed to amuse them immensely. The male quartette of the church choir sang a humorous song entitled, "Who Built the Ark?"

The closing feature was the distribution of a box of candy and an orange to each of the members of the school. An arch six feet wide and eight feet in height with pillars one foot in width, was erected and covered with evergreens. Within the arch was built a good representation of a fireplace with a wood fire in the grate. A double row of candles around the whole length of the arch showed it up to advantage and the boxes were all passed down through the chimney and taken out of the fireplace.

The pastor of the church made a few remarks bearing on some of the departments of work taken up in the school, and the superintendent extended a cordial invitation to all who were not members of some other Sunday school, to associate themselves with the Methodist Sunday school.

## DANGER

An evidence of the recent mild weather here and of the still milder weather in the mountains is the fact that the ice of the river has opened in several places at Walter's crossing, making that crossing impassable except by going down stream about a hundred yards. There are several other openings in the ice elsewhere. These actual openings may be avoided in daylight although they are very dangerous at night. But the fact that the current has worn away the ice there indicates that it may have worn the ice thin in other places, of which there is no indication on the surface, thereby making travel and even skating, on the river very dangerous.

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## NOTICE.

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" " " "	12.00	" " "	9.00
" " " "	9.50	" " "	7.25
" " " "	6.75	" " "	4.75
" " " "	5.50	" " "	4
Children's cloth coat	3.75	" " "	2.75
" " " "	3.50	" " "	2.50
" " " "	3.25	" " "	2.25
Ladies' Golf Capes	12.	" " "	9.
" " " "	9.	" " "	6.50
" " " "	7.50	" " "	5.

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Black Astrachan	\$835.	Sale Price	\$28.
" " " "	30.	" " "	25.
Boharen	25.	" " "	20.
Dyed Wombat	25.	" " "	20.
Coon	70.	" " "	60.
" " " "	60.	" " "	50.
" " " "	55.	" " "	45.

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" " Tweed	13.50	" " "	9
" " " "	11	" " "	7.50
" " " "	8.50	" " "	5
Men's Pea Jackets	6	" " "	4.50
" Sweaters	2.50	" " "	1.50
" " " "	2	" " "	1.25
" " " "	1.25	" " "	.75
Men's Smoking Jackets	7.50	" " "	5.25
" " " "	6.50	" " "	4.25

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Men's Coon Coats	75	Sale Price	\$65
" " " "	70	" " "	60
" " " "	35	" " "	28
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" " " "	25	" " "	20
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